



REMARKS

Applicants elect **Group I** (*i.e.*, claims 1, 2, 4-6, and 9-11) ***without traverse***. With the election, Applicants have completely responded to the Restriction Requirement.

Applicants submit herewith an Information Disclosure Statement.

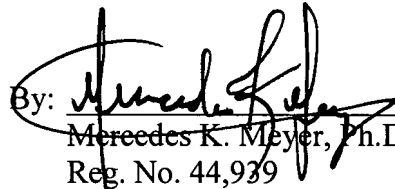
Acknowledgement of this IDS and the IDS's submitted July 14, 2006, and May 10, 2005, is respectfully requested with the Office's next communication. Applicants note that the IDS filed July 14, 2006, lists Yamada et al., *Biochemical and Biophysical Research Communications* as volume number 297. It should be volume 279. We respectfully request correction.

Should the Examiner have any questions or comments regarding Applicants' amendments or response, she is asked to contact Applicants' undersigned representative at (202) 842-8821. Please direct all correspondence to the below-listed address.

In the event that the Office believes that there are fees outstanding in the above-referenced matter and for purposes of maintaining pendency of the application, the Office is authorized to charge the outstanding fees to Deposit Account No. 50-0573. The Office is likewise authorized to credit any overpayment to the same Deposit Account Number. The undersigned is signing in her authority under 37 C.F.R. § 1.34(b).

Respectfully submitted,
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